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DECEMBER'S HOLIDAYS SUBJECT OF TOWN HALL MEETING AT UM MISSOULA—

The University of Montana MultiCultural Alliance has scheduled a Town Hall Meeting to give area residents an opportunity to learn about traditions of the many holidays celebrated in December.

“Traditionally Speaking: This December Has Many Holidays” will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30, in University Center Rooms 332-333.

The event is the second in a 2006 fall semester series to foster community dialogue about issues of social justice.

The evening's panelists hold leadership positions in religious groups on campus. They are: Naomi Alhadeff, president, Hillel, the Jewish student association; Ryan Fries, president, Muslim student association; John Lund, pastor, the Ark, Lutheran campus ministry; and Kim May, president, POWERS, Pagan or Wiccan Education, Resources and Support.

Join them to learn about holidays such as Advent, Eid al-Adha, Chanukkah and Yule and to take part in community dialogue and share refreshments.

For more information, call the MultiCultural Alliance at 243-5776.

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